

LEADER EXPLAINS 'I AM'

Faith Based on Visions, Says Ballard

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As tall, gray-haired G. W. Ballard prepared for another meeting of his "I Am" movement at the Civic Opera House yesterday, he told about the origin and development of his work and the events which led to his teachings.

"But they weren't miracles as most people understand them," he said. "They were real things which actually happened to me, to Mrs. Ballard and my son.

With Ascended Masters

"We saw and talked to the 'Ascended Masters' in their great retreat in the Rocky Mountains. In company with Saint Germain, I visited civilization centuries old and saw my embodiment and what I did in those times.

"So real were these visits, that at times I even paid railroad and steamship fare. I can't tell you when or where this occurred because the 'Ascended Masters' have directed me not to."

National in Scope

The Ballards' meetings at the Civic Opera House began Friday. Afternoon and evening sessions are held and at least 5,000 persons attended each day. Many wear evening dress at the night "classes." The movement is national



HOLLIS BURROWS JR. AND HIS FATHER.
After questioning by Cicero police.



MRS. GRACE BURROWS,
The victim.

'Stone' Wife Gains New Health Hope

Still she smiles—
Mrs. Iola Swinnerton, 36, the woman "who turned to stone," regained partial normality, and now is turning to stone again.

More than a year ago Mrs. Swinnerton left Cook County Hospital, after six years' treatment in joyful anticipation of keeping house for her husband in Miami, Fla.

Hunter Kills Wife Accidentally as He Cleans Gun

While Shirley May Burrows, 12, of 1936 S. Fiftieth av., Cicero, laughed happily in a movie yesterday afternoon, her mother, Mrs. Grace Burrows, 33, lay dead at home.

The mother died almost instantly when a shotgun which her husband, Hollis, 35, an insurance salesman, was cleaning on his return from a hunting

Series Halts Grant for Subway

By a Staff Correspondent of The Herald and Examiner.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Chicago not only lost the world's series today, but because of the series it may have to wait a while longer for a federal grant with which to build subways.

Here is what happened:
Mayor Kelly spent Saturday and Sunday in New York attending the final